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PART III.

Legislative Measures and Rules thereunder.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. G. 313—G. M. 80-17-2, dated 8th July 1918.

In pursuance of Section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, as introduced into Mysore by Regulation I of 1918, Government are pleased to direct that the following rule be inserted after Rule 3 (*c*) in Government Notification No. J. 811—Legis. 46-16-9, dated 1st September 1917, as subsequently amended:—

Power to control goods which are held for the benefit of the enemy or to the prejudice of national interest.

3. D. (1) For the purpose of ascertaining whether goods of any description are held on account, or for the future account, or for the benefit or future benefit, direct or indirect, of any person resident or carrying on business in any country which at the time is at war with His Majesty, or any hostile foreigner, or are held otherwise to the prejudice of the national interest, the Government may by order in writing:—

(*a*) require all persons who are owners of, or who are in possession of, or have control over, any goods to furnish to such officer and within such period as may be specified in the order, any information in their possession which such officer may require:—

(i) as to the nature, quantity, use, origin and destination of the goods and the purposes for which they are held;

(ii) where the goods are not in the possession of the owner, as to the actual ownership of the goods and the conditions under which the goods are held;

(iii) in order to establish whether the amount of the goods held is in excess of the normal requirements of the trade of the owner thereof and the reasons for the excess, if any;

(*b*) authorise any officer of Government:—

(i) to enter any premises on which he has reason to suspect that goods of any such description are kept or stored, and carry out such inspection of and examination of the premises and goods thereon as such officer may consider necessary for obtaining such information as aforesaid.

(ii) to require the production of and to inspect all documents relating to goods of any such description.

(2) Where the Government is of opinion that any goods are held on account, or for the future account, or for the benefit or future benefit, direct or indirect, of any person, resident or carrying on business in any country which at the time is at war with His Majesty, or any hostile foreigner, or that the continued withholding of the goods from the market is to the prejudice of the national interest, the Government may, by order in writing, require the owner of such goods to dispose of the same in such manner and within such time as may be specified in the order.

(3) If the owner of the goods cannot be ascertained or is not resident within British India, the order may be addressed to, and may confer powers of sale on, the person in whose possession or under whose control the goods may happen to be.

(4) For the purposes of this rule the expression "hostile foreigner" has the same meaning as in the Enemy Trading Act, 1916, and the expression "owner" in relation to any goods includes any person who, as Agent or otherwise, has power to sell the goods.

(5) If any person, except as authorised by the authority under whose orders the information was obtained, discloses or makes use of any information obtained in pursuance of this rule he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules.

By Order,

C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. G. 871—Legis. 11-16-29, dated 16th July 1918.

Under Section 9 of the Mysore Motor Vehicles Regulation, 1913, Government are pleased to direct that the following rule be substituted for Rule 2 of the Mysore Motor Vehicles Rules, issued with Government Notification No. J. 2016—Legis. 17-13-5, dated 19th January 1914.

"All Motor Vehicles belonging to persons resident in the State and not already registered under any enactment in force in British India or in the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, shall be registered under these rules. The fee for registration under this regulation shall be Rs. 4 for Motor Cycles and Rs. 16 for all other Motor Vehicles.

By Order,

C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 600—Ml. 57-18-1, dated 8th July 1918.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 11 (*c*) of the Mysore Municipal Regulation, No. VII of 1906, and in supersession of the existing Rules on the subject, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to make the following Rules prescribing the qualifications of voters and candidates at elections of Municipal Councillors in every Minor Municipality in which the election system is introduced, and regulating the conduct of such elections.

Preliminary.

Title of these rules.

1. These rules may be sited as "the Election Rules for Minor Municipal Councils, 1918."

Definitions.

2. In these rules (i) "a new Municipality" means a Municipality newly established by the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, but of which the first Municipal Councillors have not yet entered upon their office.